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MUNICIPAL CHAPTER I.O.D.E. INDORSES DECORATION DAY

Supports C. E. F. Chapter in the Move To Set Aside Sunday To Visit Graves.

HONOR MRS. A. E. MILLER

Prominent I.O.D.E. Worker Is Presented With Life Membership Pin.

Mrs. A. E. Miller was signally honored by the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E., yesterday afternoon, when she was presented with a life membership in that organization by the members. Mrs. Miller has been actively connected with the work of the I.O.D.E. in London for over twelve years and the gift of yesterday came in appreciation of her services. The presentation was made at the postponed meeting of the Municipal Chapter, held in Cronyn Hall, Mrs. Miller receiving the pin from the hands of Mrs. Cl. T. Campbell, while the other two to be presented by Mrs. Ross Thomas, Mrs. Miller, although taken by surprise, expressed her thanks by referring to her happy connection with the order ever since she became a member.

War Pictures for London.
The National Chapter, I.O.D.E., has voted to London three sets of the war memorial pictures, which will be placed in the London schools. One set goes permanently to the children's institute, the other two to be placed from time to time in each of the public schools of the city. This year Ryerson and Victoria schools are to be favored with the presence of the pictures, which will move on to other schools next year. Announcement of the gift of the pictures was made at the meeting of the Municipal Chapter, and will be received with interest by the members of the school board, for the pictures, which are eighteen to a set, have historic value.

The question of disbarring the War Memorial Hospital committee, which has accomplished such excellent work since its organization four years ago, came before the meeting, but no action was taken. It was pointed out that the committee had not yet completed its work and should remain a sub-committee of the Municipal Chapter until that task was accomplished.

The resignation of Mrs. F. J. Greenaway as honorary secretary of that body was received with regret and a standing vote of thanks for her appreciation of the members for her splendid services during the past four years.

Indorse Decoration Day.
The Municipal Chapter indorsed the suggestion of C. E. F. Returned Chapter, that London should have an annual decoration day. Mrs. J. B. Dunlevy, regent of the chapter, explained that the members had secured the support of the mayor in this move and that their hope was that they might eventually make decoration day a Dominion-wide event.

Three more names were added to the committee which is conferring with the Occupational Therapy Association with a view to securing a vocational side for the War Memorial Children's Hospital. The names added were Mrs. E. B. Smith, Mrs. Ross Thomas and Mrs. W. L. Denny. The original committee includes Mrs. Arthur Smith, Mrs. F. J. Greenaway and Mrs. Cl. T. Campbell.

Mrs. E. B. Smith was asked to



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convene a committee to make plans for helping the Institute of the Blind some time during the spring. The wording which will appear on the bronze tablet in the entrance hall of the War Memorial Children's Institute, was officially passed upon by the chapter.

Mrs. Allan McLean, the regent, was in the chair. Expressions of sympathy were forwarded to Mrs. Arthur Smith, who has suffered a painful accident, and Mrs. George Routhledge in the death of her husband.

REBEKAHS WILL HOLD INSTALLATION TONIGHT

Mrs. Frank Campbell Succeeds Mrs. A. E. Austin as the Noble Grand.

The I. O. O. F. Hall will be the scene of an interesting event tonight when Mrs. Frank Campbell will be installed as noble grand of the Victoria Rebekah Lodge. The officiating officer will be Mrs. G. E. Burridge, district deputy grand president, and her staff of installing officers will include Mrs. Charles Hemsworth, D. D. grand marshal; Mrs. Warren McRoberts, D. D. grand warder; Mrs. M. Malone, D. D. grand recording secretary; Mrs. M. Clargo, D. D. grand financial secretary; Mrs. George Shaw, D. D. grand treasurer; Mrs. Ellen Powell, D. D. grand inside guard, and Mrs. Ed. Slack, D. D. grand chaplain.

During the evening the past noble grand's jewels will be presented by Mrs. A. E. Austin. After the installation has taken place a social hour will be held, Mrs. W. H. Evans in charge.

The incoming officers of the Victoria Rebekah Lodge are: vice-regent, Mrs. Olga Eice; recording secretary, Mrs. E. M. Russell; financial secretary, Mrs. Dan Black; treasurer, Mrs. Warren MacRoberts; past noble grand, Mrs. A. E. Austin.

Danny Meadow Mouse Hides From Gray Fox In a Tomato Can

By THORNTON W. BURGESS.

When Danny Meadow Mouse had started for the rusty old tomato can Gray Fox had felt sure of him. He hadn't noticed that old can. If he had he wouldn't have thought anything about it. He thought that Danny was simply taking to his heels in fright, and he felt sure of catching Danny in just a few jumps. If ever there was a surprised fox it was Gray Fox when Danny dodged around the end of that old can and disappeared.

Of course, it didn't take him but a second to understand where Danny had disappeared to. "He got him," said Gray Fox to himself. "He can't get away now. I'll have him out of that old can in a jiffy. Yes, sir, I'll have him out of that old can in a jiffy."

But it didn't take him long to find out that getting Danny out of that old can would be no easy matter. He could get no more than the end of his nose in the opening through which Danny had squeezed. Smelling Danny as close as that made his mouth water more than ever. Here was a dinner within three inches of his nose. He must get it somehow.

Gray Fox sat down and studied that old can. Perhaps he could get a paw in and pull Danny out. So he tried it. But the edges of that opening were sharp and the opening was so narrow that those sharp edges hurt his paw. Even when he had managed to push it in a little ways he couldn't move it around.

"Wow!" yelled Gray Fox suddenly, and tried to snatch his paw out. Danny Meadow Mouse had used his sharp teeth. He had bitten that paw. You should have seen Gray Fox try to snatch his paw out of that can. But it didn't come out. He simply pulled that old can toward him. Again he felt Danny's sharp teeth. Again he yelled. And this time he jumped back. The can went with him.

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Gray Fox sat down and studied that old can.

By this time Gray Fox was frightened as well as hurt. That old can was a trap which had caught his paw. "Ouch! Wow!" he yelled again as he felt Danny's sharp teeth once more. The pain made him shake his paw. It sent the can flying. He was free!

For a moment or two Gray Fox thought of nothing but that paw. He licked it tenderly where Danny had bitten it and where the edges of that can had cut it. Then rage filled him. Yes, sir, rage filled him. Now that he was free he was no longer afraid of that can. But he had lost his temper completely. He blamed Danny Meadow Mouse for that aching paw, and he was more determined than ever that he would catch Danny.

He went over to that old can to make sure that Danny was still in it. He was. Gray Fox turned the can up on end, hoping that Danny would drop out. But Danny didn't. Then Gray Fox picked the can up in his teeth and shook it. My, my, my, how he did shake! Poor Danny inside was thrown from side to side until he hadn't any breath left. But he wasn't shaken out. The temper of Gray Fox grew worse and worse. He pounced on that old can and knocked it this way and that way. Sometimes it rolled and sometimes it went end over end. But Danny Meadow Mouse was still inside.

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WOMEN and THE HOME

Social and Personal

Miss Erma Moss is visiting friends in Goderich.

Miss Grace Blackburn is spending a few weeks in New York.

Mrs. McClary Moore was the hostess recently of a charming bridge.

Mrs. Gordon Galbraith, Adelaide street, was the hostess recently of a bridge.

Mrs. Lionel Elliot, Ridout street south, is leaving today for Boston where she will visit friends.

Mrs. W. C. Allen, Ridout street south, entertained at a few tables of bridge yesterday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. W. L. Underwood, Wolfe street, who have been visiting in Toronto, have returned home.

Miss Lillian Johnson and Mrs. Allen Towe are leaving tomorrow for Detroit where they will visit for a week or two.

Mrs. Ronald Cottrell of Toronto will spend the week-end in London with Dr. and Mrs. F. K. Eccles, Dufferin avenue.

Mrs. Frank Lawson is visiting her daughter, Mrs. Duncan McArthur and Professor McArthur of Queens University, Kingston.

Mrs. Charles Baldwin of Toronto has returned home after having been a guest at the home of Mrs. Belton, Hyman street.

The many friends of Mrs. Arthur Smith will hear with regret that she has suffered a painful accident, fracturing her arm.

Miss Beryl Jewell, Waterloo street, was the hostess this week of the meeting of the Sir George Ross Chapter, I. O. D. E.

Miss Kathleen White, Mr. Harold White, and Dr. Perry will be among the Londoners attending the Millitary Ball in Woodstock this evening.

Miss Winnifred Macdonald is going to St. Catharines Friday for the Ridgway dance. While there she will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jenckes.

The meeting of the Lord Elgin Chapter, I. O. D. E., is being held at the home of Mrs. A. E. Reason, Richmond street north, Tuesday afternoon.

Mrs. F. Earl Johnston is entertaining the members of Ruth Chapter, O. E. S. patrol, at her home, Renwick avenue, on next Wednesday night.

Mrs. W. Bradt, Cove Road, was the hostess recently of a dinner given in honor of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Jewell of Exeter. Covers were laid for ten.

Mrs. Charles Ivey and Mrs. Gerald Pearson were hostesses last evening of dinner parties, taking the evening on later to the dance given by the Ontario Hospital Nurses' Alumnae.

Miss Louise Gahan, Harvard street, will be the hostess this evening of a meeting of the librarians of the city, when the re-organization of the local library club will be discussed.

Miss Beth Pennington, provincial secretary of the Girl Guides, organized a company of guides in Petrolia recently with Mrs. Pitts as captain and Miss Jean Bullen as lieutenant.

Among the Londoners who received invitations to the dance being given by the First Battalion, Oxford Rifles, in Woodstock this evening, were: Dr. H. T. Reason and Mrs. Reason.

Mr. F. P. Coles of the Green-Swift Company has been in New York this week attending the convention of the International Association of Clothing Designers, which is being held at the Hotel McAlpin.

Miss Gwen Auden has returned home after a brief visit with Miss Bertha Walker in Toronto. Miss Auden returns to Toronto at the end of February when she will act as bridesmaid at Miss Walker's wedding.

Owing to the death of Mr. Timothy O'Meara, the meeting of the Senator Coffey Chapter, I.O.D.E., which was to have been held at the home of Mrs. J. Callaghan tomorrow afternoon, has been postponed until February.

Among the Londoners who are going down to the dance being given this evening in Woodstock by the First Battalion of the Oxford Rifles are Gen. W. B. King and Mrs. Shuttleworth King, Col. F. B. Ware, Col. Lawless and Col. G. Gillespie.

Mrs. Ted White, Princess avenue, entertained at a charming luncheon yesterday in honor of Miss Kathleen Cowan, who is leaving shortly on the Mediterranean trip. The guests were: Miss Cowan, Miss Kathleen White, Miss Therese White, Miss Mary Granger, and Miss Eleanor Robinson.

Mrs. E. B. Smith, provincial commissioner for Girl Guides, and Miss Beth Pennington, provincial secretary, have been invited to attend the provincial meeting of the Red Cross Society which is to be held at Government House, Toronto, on Monday afternoon. Mrs. Ronald Harris, president of the local branch of the Red Cross will attend the meeting in Toronto.

The bridge given by the Seventh Regiment Chapter, I.O.D.E., in the officers' quarters at the armories, was a charming affair of this afternoon. Twenty tables of bridge were arranged and a number of guests dropped in at the tea hour. Mrs. Shuttleworth King and Mrs. E. B. Smith presided over the tea table, which was attractively decorated in crimson and white. A large basket of ferns tied with a crimson bow centered the table, and white barberry candles in silver sticks, marked the corners. The members of the chapter assisted at the tea hour.

A most delightful evening was spent at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Edward Healey, Wyatt street, when they entertained recently at three tables of bridge. The hostess received in a black canton gown, fully beaded. The guests included: Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McEllister, Mrs. J. B. Jennings and son, Mr. Jack Jennings, Mr. and Mrs. Harrison and daughter, Miss Mamie Harrison; Mr. and Mrs. MacLaren, Mrs. W. S. Spence, Mrs. Pennecott, Mr. Pollett, and Mr. W. Sanderson. Supper was served by the hostess, assisted by the Misses Jean and Kathleen Moran, and Reg. Ennis.

Twenty-five tables of bridge and Ma Jong were in play this afternoon at the Highland Golf Club. The tables were arranged in the upstairs

rooms as well as in the living-room and sunroom downstairs. Golden daffodils, tastefully arranged in silver baskets, and candles in the same shade held in silver sticks adorned the tea table where Mrs. A. O. Hunt and Mrs. J. J. Vining poured tea. A large number of guests dropped in at the tea hour and among those who assisted in looking after the guests were Mrs. James Granger, Mrs. T. J. Granger, Mrs. Dawson, Mrs. A. D. Jordan and Mrs. C. R. Collyer.

Red, green, gold and silver, the Ontario Hospital colors, were used effectively to decorate the Assembly Hall at the hospital last evening for the dance given under the auspices of the Ontario Hospital Nurses' Alumnae. The dance, which was the first social function given by the organization, was a most successful one. An attractive program of dance music was given by Ronnie Hart's orchestra and a number of enjoyable novelty dances were introduced during the evening. At intermission a dainty buffet supper was served. The guests were welcomed by Miss Ball, the president, assisted by Mrs. Stanley Grosvenor, Miss C. Sutherland, and Miss Ethel Curtis. The patronesses who welcomed the guests were: Mrs. W. J. Robinson, Mrs. G. Stevenson, Mrs. G. S. Cathcart, Mrs. F. W. Loney, Mrs. George Ingham, Mrs. Gerald Pearson, and Miss Ruth Robinson.

A charming post-nuptial reception was held this afternoon, when Mrs. Vivian Reeve, formerly Miss Wanda Jones, received for the first time since her marriage at her home on Waterloo street north. Pink roses and rose colored tulips were used throughout the rooms, making a pretty setting for the bride, who received with her mother, Mrs. H. J. Jones, and Mrs. Vivian Reeve. Mrs. Reeve wore her graceful wedding gown of white crepe romaine, with an overdress of georgette heavily beaded in crystals, and a corsage of sunset roses. Mrs. Jones was gowned in black tulle velvet, and Mrs. Reeve Sen. wore a handsome gown of black crepe romaine. A silver basket, filled with roses, centered the tea table, where Mrs. Lebert Jones and Mrs. Norman Keene noud to Miss Minnie Stewart ushered the guests to the tea room, and the assistants included: Mrs. Norville Jones, Mrs. Floyd Jones, Mrs. Lillian Jones, Mrs. Mervyn Jones and Mrs. R. Newton. Miss Barbara Jones made a charming food attendant, wearing a pink frilly organly frock.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Smith, 41 Roberts avenue, was the scene of a merry gathering Friday, January 11, when Mr. and Mrs. Smith entertained in honor of their daughter Margaret, on the occasion of her 21st birthday. The living-rooms of the home were gaily decorated and the evening was pleasantly spent in dancing, games and music. Especially delightful and interesting was the supper table where the birthday cake, adorned with 21 candles, occupied a central place. During supper the hostess was assisted by Mrs. A. Henderson, Miss A. Henderson, Miss M. Henderson, Miss Lawton, Miss G. Dean, Miss R. Duncan, Miss R. Dallimore, Miss D. Bruce, and Miss L. Johnston. Mr. H. Vine, Mr. F. Aldridge, Mr. A. Dorman, Mr. G. Dean, Mr. R. Cottrell, Mr. J. Henderson, Mr. J. McAuley, Mr. T. Morgan, Mr. T. Reeves, Mr. D. McEachern.

'Y' GENERAL SECRETARY MAY COME TO LONDON

Board Is Trying To Secure Miss Marion Ferguson For the Annual Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Y. W. C. A. board which was to have been held yesterday afternoon at "Lenmore" has been postponed until Monday afternoon next. The chief business of the meeting will be to make arrangements for the annual meeting of the association in February. The board is trying to bring to London, as speaker for this occasion, Miss Marion Ferguson, who has been acting general secretary of the National Association for some time past, but who expects to return to her work in India in the near future.

CLUB NEWS

TO PLAY ST. THOMAS GIRLS.

The St. Thomas Collegiate girls' basketball team will come to London on Saturday night of this week to play the return game with the girls of the East London Collegiate Institute in the Central Collegiate gymnasium.

GIRLS' CANADIAN CLUB.

Professor Dorland will give the first of a series of addresses at a meeting of the Girls' Canadian Club, Wednesday evening of next week at "Lenmore." Some phases of the New East Question will be the subject of his talk.

JANEY CANUCK CHAPTER.

The meeting of the Janey Canuck Chapter, I. O. D. E., which was to have been held this week, has been postponed until Thursday of next week. Miss Ena Arscott, Anne scott, will be the hostess of the meeting.

LANGEMARK LODGE.

Langemark Lodge of this city has invited the members of the St. Thomas Lodge to be their guests when special degrees are put on in the Langemark Hall on February 5. Arrangements for the entertainment of the St. Thomas guests were made at a meeting of the lodge held this week. Mrs. R. Kelly, the worthy mistress, in the chair. The lodge also planned to visit the Protestant Orphans Home next week and take a treat to the children.

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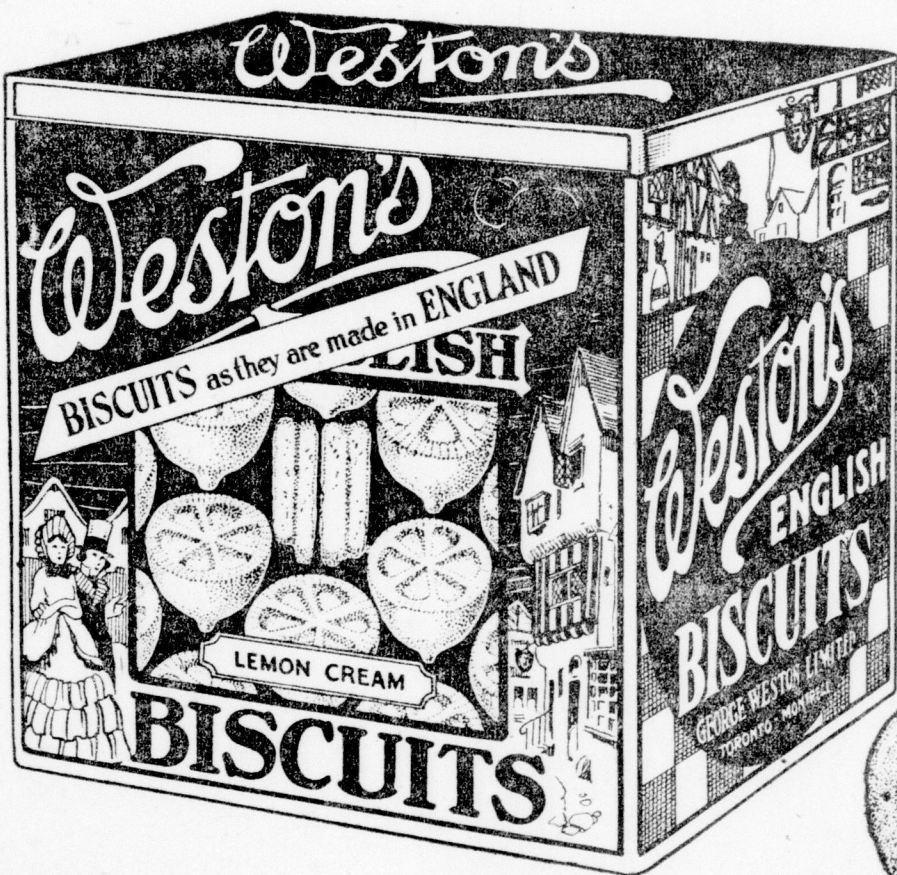
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